



Attorney's Docket No.: 14603-008US1
Client's Ref. No.: P2002,0051 US N

2862
IFW

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant : Steele et al.
Serial No. : 10/501,633
Filed : July 15, 2004
Title : SENSOR SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR OPERATING THE SENSOR SYSTEM

Art Unit : 2862
Examiner : Reena Aurora

Mail Stop Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

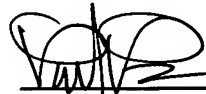
PETITION FOR ONE-MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME

Pursuant to 37 CFR §1.136, applicant hereby petitions that the period for response to the action dated October 3, 2005, be extended for one month to and including February 3, 2006.

Enclosed is a check for \$120 for the required fee. Please apply any other charges or credits to Deposit Account No. 06-1050 referencing Attorney Docket No. 14603-008US1.

Respectfully submitted,

Date: February 3, 2006


Paul A. Pysher
Reg. No. 40,780

Fish & Richardson P.C.
225 Franklin Street
Boston, MA 02110
Telephone: (617) 542-5070
Facsimile: (617) 542-8906

21260282.doc

CERTIFICATE OF MAILING BY FIRST CLASS MAIL

I hereby certify under 37 CFR §1.8(a) that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service as first class mail with sufficient postage on the date indicated below and is addressed to the Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450.

February 3, 2006
Date of Deposit


Signature

Denise M. Donahue
Typed or Printed Name of Person Signing Certificate

02/07/2006 RFEKADU1 00000044 10501633

01 FC:1251

120.00 OP